

# PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

41-1057

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HOLDINGS OF THE  
TEXAS STATE ARCHIVES

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I disapprove, and am vetoing and filing with the Secretary of State House Bill 1135. This bill creates the Nassau Bay Hospital District in Harris County.

A thorough investigation reveals that this district would lie in a rapidly developing area which gains in population daily. At the present time, less than 200 families reside within the district. But less than half of the tax paying citizens who would be required to pay for this hospital district have lived in the district a sufficient length of time to be able to vote on the creation of the hospital district. This is the principal defect of the bill. I also question whether there is a need for a hospital district in an area which contains such a relatively few people. Moreover, there is no limitation in the bill on the number of elections the directors can call or the time which must pass between the calling of elections.

Since a majority of the people affected will have no vote in the creation of the district coupled with the fact that there are adequate medical facilities in the area to meet the needs of these people, I disapprove of the bill at this time.

House Bill 1135 was received in the Governor's Office on May 27, 1965 - less than 10 days prior to the adjournment of the Regular Session of the 59th Legislature - and in accordance with Article IV Section 14 of the Constitution of Texas, the Bill, together with this Proclamation, is filed with the Secretary of State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of State to be affixed hereto at Austin this 19 day of June, 1965.

*John Connally*  
Governor of Texas

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE  
SECRETARY OF STATE  
O'CLOCK

JUN 20 1965

*Georgiad C. Minton*  
Secretary of State

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